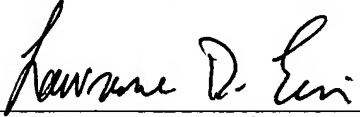


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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)</b>				<b>Docket No.</b> H0006146-5601	
<b>Applicant(s): RUSSELL D. BRAUNLING ET AL.</b>					
<b>Application No.</b> 10/751,449	<b>Filing Date</b> January 6, 2004	<b>Examiner</b> WALLENHORST, M.	<b>Customer No.</b> 00128	<b>Group Art Unit</b> 1743	<b>Confirmation No.</b> 2586
<b>Invention:</b> SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CORROSION MAINTENANCE SCHEDULING					
<b>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</b>					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>					
	<b>CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT</b>	<b>HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR</b>	<b>NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT</b>	<b>RATE</b>	<b>ADDITIONAL FEE</b>
<b>TOTAL CLAIMS</b>	20 -	20 =	0	x \$50.00	\$0.00
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<b>Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable)</b> <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT</b>					<b>\$200.00</b>
<div><input type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required for amendment.</div> <div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Please charge Deposit Account No. 03-3975 in the amount of \$200.00</div> <div><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of to cover the filing fee is enclosed.</div> <div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 03-3975<div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.</div></div> <div><input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038.</div>					
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<div> _____ Signature</div> <div><b>Lawrence D. Eisen</b> <b>Registration No. 41,009</b> <b>Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP</b> <b>1650 Tysons Boulevard</b> <b>McLean, VA 22102</b></div>			<div><b>Dated: November 10, 2005</b></div> <div><div>I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on  _____ (Date)</div><div>_____ Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</div><div>_____ Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</div></div>		
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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111  
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### AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on October 12, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

No extension of time or other fees are believed to be due, except as detailed in the attached documents. However, any extension of time necessary to prevent abandonment is hereby requested, and any fee necessary for consideration of this response is hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account Number 01-1125.

**Amendments to the Specification:** None.

**Amendments to the Claims:** reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks:** begin on page 6 of this paper.

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